

The Answer.

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elimination of the Negroes from politics will not cause a breaking up of the Solid South. I have but to call attention to Mississippi and Louisiana, two states which have led in the movement. They have practically blotted out the Negro franchise so far as voting in those states is concerned.

Who charges that the Republican Party has gained a foothold in those states? No one.

To emphasize this point, I have but to call your attention to the progress of a New Orleans' Post of Confederate Veterans protesting against the action of the local committee in inviting President McKinley to the Confederate Reunion in Tennessee. In this state the Negroes have been practically eliminated as a political factor. Notice also the following report.

NORTHERN INSTRUCTORS TO BE DRIVEN OUT.

NASHVILLE, TENN., Jan. 19.

The legislature is wrestling with the educational phase of the Negro problem, and a bill has passed the Senate to prohibit the co-education of the races. A bill has also been introduced in the upper house to prohibit the employment of white teachers in Negro schools, colleges and universities.

A large majority of the Negro institutions of learning are controlled and directed by white officers and teachers and the passage of this bill will compel a reorganization of the faculty of nearly every Negro school in the state.

In Tennessee, the Negroes by legislative enactment have been practically eliminated as a political factor. With the disposition of the Negro comes the elimination of the Northern white teachers who instruct them.

After getting millions of dollars expended in the state for Negro education some legislators have the effrontery to propose to kick the white ladies and gentlemen out of the state, who were sent to look after it and see that the race is educated within the scope set down by those who gave the money.

Does this not then settle beyond all question the fact that enfranchisement of the Negro is not the fundamental cause of the South's complaint?

THOSE WHO PROPHESY.

The only ones who prophesy such a political millennium are those white men who aspire to Federal office and see in "throwing sawdust" into the eyes of the administration, the securing of some humble Federal office which a Negro holds.

These people began their work with Hon. Rutherford B. Hayes. It was announced that the giving to the South the right to control their own affairs would break up the solid South and place some of the states in the Republican column.

This was done—and the South was still solid. Then they said if the state constitutions were changed so as to eliminate the Negro as a voting factor South would break up the solid South and place some of the states in the Republican column. This was done—and the South was still solid.

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states made by the abandonment of great humanitarian principles.

"For Truth will conquer at the last, As round and round we run, And ever the Right comes uppermost, And ever is Justice done."

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN MITCHELL, JR.

Rest in Peace.

TRIBBEY—Departed this life, age 20 years, 8 months and 5 days, after a brief, but severe illness. Lucy C. Tribbey, daughter of Richard and Lucy Tribbey. She bore her illness with patience and was perfectly resigned to her death.

Her funeral took place from the 2nd Baptist Church of which she had been a member for about nine years, Monday, Jan. 14th, Rev. Z. D. Lewis, pastor officiating assisted by Revs. Scott, C. Burrell, and A. S. Thomas. The Reverend's remarks were very appropriate and touching. She leaves two brothers, two sisters, a large number of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Honorary pall bearers were as follows, Messrs Wm. H. Tharpe, Carey H. Wheaton; active: Messrs John Eggleston, Tiny C. Funn, Frank Augustus Percy Sears James A. Taylor and Richard Turner.

There is no flock, however watched and tended, But one dead lamb is there! There is no fireside, however defended, But has one vacant chair!

Lucy is not dead; the child of our affection But gone unto that school Where she no longer needs our poor protection, And Christ himself doth rule.

In that great cloister's stillness and seclusion, By guardian angels led, Safe from temptation, safe from sin's pollution, Lucy lives, whom we call dead.

Some day Lucy, in your father's mansion, Clothed with celestial grace; And beautiful with all the souls' expansion, Each one of us shall behold your face."

Her parents,
RICHARD AND LUCY TRIBBEY,
1022 St. James St.

GONE BEFORE.

Short Sketch of the Life of Rev. Ned Brown.

Boulahville, King William Co., Va.
January 5th, 1901.

He was born January 8th, 1880, professed religion in 1878 and was a faithful member of Providence Baptist Church for 22 years. He was a faithful worker of said church, lived a consistent Christian life, a good neighbor and was beloved by both white and colored.

Rev. Brown was married in December 1888. They lived lovingly together as man and wife; also a kind father to his children. He was called to the ministry and licensed to preach in 1890, was a faithful worker for Christ and beloved by all ministers with whom he met. He was a member of the Rising Sons and Daughters of Hope, also chairman of Sick Committee. Rev. Brown was confined to his bed December 15th, and after an illness of three weeks departed this life January 5, 1901. He bore his sickness with Christian fortitude and gratification and was sensible even unto his death.

He told his wife a few days prior to his death, that she must hear him, and let him get up and look around, as he had only a few days to stay with her. Just before his end came, he told his relatives and friends that he was standing on "the Rock, Christ Jesus," also many other wonderful things. In his dying hour, he had faith enough in saying, "Lord, I offer prayer and closed by saying, amen."

He leaves a mother, brother, sister, a loving wife, four children and a host of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Our loss is his eternal gain.

"God in His wisdom hath recalled, The boon his life has given, Although the body slumbers here, The soul is safe in heaven."

His brother,
H. B. JOHNSON.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral was preached by Revs. S. M. Miles, Horace Roane, assisted by A. B. Pollard and A. Corbin. The following text was preached, Job 16:19-22d verses. The funeral was witnessed by the largest congregation that has ever met in this country.

THOMPSONS—Elsie Thompson, the beloved mother of Moses Thompson, departed this life, Jan. 23, 1901, at quarter past one o'clock p. m. at her son's residence, Miller's Field, Henrico County, Va. She died in full triumph of faith. Aged 71 years. Funeral took place from her son's residence, Friday, Jan. 25th at 2:30 p. m.

Sleep on Mother, and take thy rest Lay down thy head upon the Saviour's breast.

Her daughter-in-law,
NANNIE THOMPSON,
(New York papers please copy.)

Notes From Dunnellon, Fla.

Editor of the PLANET:—The South bound train No. 39 on Sunday, 18th inst was thrown from the track, 3 miles south of this place in Citrus County on the F. & W. R. E., in consequence of spikes having been removed which held the rails to the track. This catastrophe resulted in the killing of the engineer, all other officials, but the passengers escaped without injury. The public supposition is that the removal of the spikes was the set of train robbers, however nothing was done in this direction.

On the 14th a stranger, colored, who was assisting freely to clear away the wreck was seized under suspicion and suffered the usual and customary penalty of being lynched. His fingers and ears were cut off and kept as souvenirs from which he swung. Others are supposed to be implicated, and whenever suspicion rests upon a guilty one the same penalty will be administered without hesitation.

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In the name of Christ Jesus and on behalf of the devastated colored churches covering a territory of ten counties, I, as state superintendent of missions, for the people in this state, ask every philanthropist and missionary church of every shade of doctrine to take up one collection before or after preaching to aid these poor church members who lost their houses of worship on that memorable 8th day of September, 1900.

Help because more than one hundred and fifty churches were totally wrecked with scarcely a plank or brick upon one another.

Help because many of the churches lost scores of their members by death in the storm.

Help because many were crippled and made helpless for life.

Help because many of the members not killed or hurt lost their houses and all their personal property.

Help because the crops in that section were damaged in one way or the other quite 75%.

Help because many of the members left alive have gone from home seeking labor.

Lastly, Help just because it is a laudable cause that God himself will bless the giver for helping. Put yourself in their stead and think that matter over.

FINALLY.

Let each individual who reads this article in the RICHMOND PLANET send me a donation and the name of the paper and I will not only receipt you in the columns of the same but also personally. Any pastor sending me a collection I will receipt him in the same way. Let every lodge, society, and young people's club send a donation.

For personal reference in regards to my handling money for Christian and benevolent work in Texas, write me and I will furnish any number wanted. I have been in Texas forty years and held nearly every position in the gift of the National Baptist Convention to the most humble position. Have lived in Dallas, Texas twenty-five years, and moderator of one association twenty years. Will you please help me as state missionary to help rebuild these church houses.

I am yours in Jesus name,
A. R. GREGG,
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From Chicago.

Mr. G. Price and Mrs. Eva Randall were quietly married at their residence.

Mrs. Lyndsay of 1709 Dearborn St. would like to know the whereabouts of Mr. George Street. Oblige by answering through this paper.

Miss Nellie Coleman of Little Rock Ark. was the guest of Miss Ada Patterson of 308 Warren Ave. She returned home last week.

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